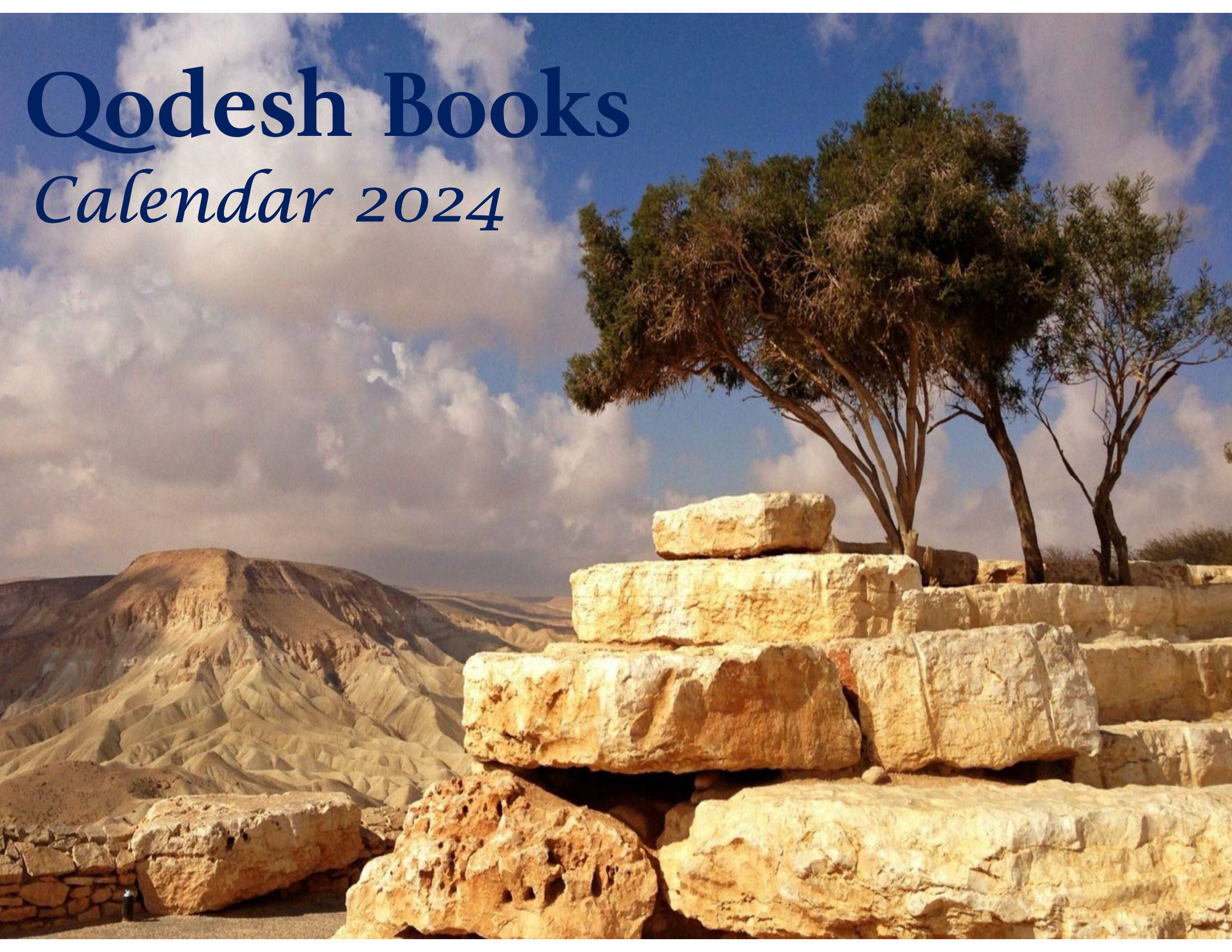


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Calendar 2024



About the New Moon and the Beginning of the Scriptural Year (Barley 'aviv') - 2024

1. The days marked as Rosh Chodesh are the dates on which the new moon for each month is expected to be visible between sunset and moonset in Johannesburg. A Scriptural month is determined by the sighting of the moon and a month can only be 29 days or 30 days long.
2. The Scriptural year begins with the first new moon after the barley in Yisra'el reaches the stage in its ripeness called "aviv". The month of Aviv (start of the Scriptural New Year) can only be introduced with the physical presence of 'aviv" barley in Yisra'el. The start of the Scriptural year for this calendar is calculated as 11 March 2024, but this is dependent of the physical presence of 'aviv" barley.
3. It is suggested that we also check for the barley a month earlier to ensure that we do not start the year a month too late. Similarly, if the barley is not "aviv" in February and March, check in April.
4. If barley is not in its stage of ripeness called "aviv", then an extra month is introduced, this ensures that the month of "aviv" (the first Scriptural month) always falls within its proper season.
5. Because the Scriptural calendar is an observational calendar, the actual dates of the Appointed Times / Feast Days can only be established by confirmation of the sighting of the new moon.
6. In creating this calendar, various sources were consulted to calculate the sighting of the new moon. This calendar is to assist Torah observant believers in their planning, but in the final analysis, the sighting of the new moon is paramount.
7. Although all care has been taken to calculate the New Moons and Festival Days as accurately as possible, we cannot take responsibility for the actual beginning of the Feast Days as the New Moon should be sighted by the naked eye at your location.

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

January 2024 20 tevet 5784 - 21 shevat 5784

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
	1 20 tevet 🟡 New Year's Day	2 21 tevet	3 22 tevet	4 23 tevet	5 24 tevet 🕯️ 18:45	6 25 tevet 📖 Shemot 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:55
7 26 tevet	8 27 tevet	9 28 tevet	10 29 tevet	11 1 shevat ⬠ Rosh Chodesh Shevat	12 2 shevat 🕯️ 18:46 🌙 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 19:05 Moonset: 20:20	13 3 shevat 📖 Va'era 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:55
14 4 shevat	15 5 shevat	16 6 shevat	17 7 shevat	18 8 shevat	19 9 shevat 🕯️ 18:45	20 10 shevat 📖 Bo 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:55
21 11 shevat	22 12 shevat	23 13 shevat	24 14 shevat	25 15 shevat ⬠ Tu B'Shvat	26 16 shevat 🕯️ 18:43	27 17 shevat 📖 Beshalach 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:53
28 18 shevat	29 19 shevat	30 20 shevat	31 21 shevat			

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FEBRUARY 2024 22 shevat 5784 - 20 adar I 5784

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז	ח						
				1	22 shevat	2	23 shevat	3	24 shevat				
							🕯️ 18:40	📖 Yitro 📖 Shabbat Ends: 19:49					
4	25 shevat	5	26 shevat	6	27 shevat	7	28 shevat	8	29 shevat				
								9	30 shevat	10	1 adar I		
								🌌 Rosh Chodesh Adar I - Day 1 🕯️ 18:36	🌌 Rosh Chodesh Adar I - Day 2 📖 Mishpatim 📖 Shabbat Ends: 19:45				
11	2 adar I	12	3 adar I	13	4 adar I	14	5 adar I	15	6 adar I	16	7 adar I	17	8 adar I
🌙 Rosh Chodesh Sunset 18:54 Moonset: 20:16										🕯️ 18:31		📖 Terumah 📖 Shabbat Ends: 19:40	
18	9 adar I	19	10 adar I	20	11 adar I	21	12 adar I	22	13 adar I	23	14 adar I	24	15 adar I
										🌌 Purim Katan 🕯️ 18:25		📖 Tetzaveh 📖 Shabbat Ends: 19:34	
25	16 adar I	26	17 adar I	27	18 adar I	28	19 adar I	29	20 adar I				

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march 2024 21 adar I 5784 - 21 adar II 5784

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז	ח
						1 🕯️ 18:18	21 adar I 2 📖 Ki Tisa 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:27
3 23 adar I	4 24 adar I	5 25 adar I	6 26 adar I	7 27 adar I	8 🕯️ 18:11	28 adar I	9 29 adar I 📖 Vayakhel 📖 Parashat Shekalim 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:20
10 30 adar I ✧ Rosh Chodesh Adar II - Day 1	11 1 adar II ✧ Rosh Chodesh Adar II - Day 2 🌙 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 18:28 Moonset: 19:20	12 2 adar II	13 3 adar II	14 4 adar II	15 🕯️ 18:04	5 adar II	16 6 adar II 📖 Pekude 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:13
17 7 adar II	18 8 adar II	19 9 adar II	20 10 adar II	21 11 adar II ✧ Fast of Esther 📅 Human Rights Day 10 Aviv - Passover selection	22 🕯️ 17:56	12 adar II	23 13 adar II 📖 Vayikra 📖 Parashat Zachor 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:05
24 14 adar II ✧ Purim	25 15 adar II ✧ Shushan Purim 🌙 14th Aviv - Pesach	26 16 adar II 🌙 15th Aviv - First day of Festival of Matzot	27 17 adar II	28 18 adar II	29 🕯️ 17:49	19 adar II	30 20 adar II 📖 Tzav 📖 Parashat Parah 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:58
31 21 adar II							

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

april 2024 22 adar II 5784 - 22 nisan 5784

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
	<p>1 22 adar II</p> <p>🌾 21st Aviv - Last day of Festival of Matzot</p>	<p>2 23 adar II</p>	<p>3 24 adar II</p>	<p>4 25 adar II</p>	<p>5 26 adar II</p> <p>🕯️ 17:42</p>	<p>6 27 adar II</p> <p>📖 Shemini 📖 Parashat Hachodesh 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:50</p>
<p>7 28 adar II</p>	<p>8 29 adar II</p>	<p>9 1 nisan</p> <p>✧ Rosh Chodesh Nisan</p>	<p>10 2 nisan</p> <p>🌾 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 17:56 Moonset: 19:08</p>	<p>11 3 nisan</p>	<p>12 4 nisan</p> <p>🕯️ 17:34</p>	<p>13 5 nisan</p> <p>📖 Tazria 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:43</p>
<p>14 6 nisan</p>	<p>15 7 nisan</p>	<p>16 8 nisan</p>	<p>17 9 nisan</p>	<p>18 10 nisan</p>	<p>19 11 nisan</p> <p>🕯️ 17:28</p>	<p>20 12 nisan</p> <p>📖 Metzora 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:37</p>
<p>21 13 nisan</p>	<p>22 14 nisan</p> <p>✧ Erev Pesach 🕯️ 17:25</p>	<p>23 15 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - Day 1 🕯️ First Day Yom Tov Ends: 18:34</p>	<p>24 16 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - Day 2 🕯️ Yom Tov Ends: 18:33</p>	<p>25 17 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - First Intermediate Day</p>	<p>26 18 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - Second Intermediate Day 🕯️ 17:22</p>	<p>27 19 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - Third Intermediate Day 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:31 🇺🇸 Freedom Day</p>
<p>28 20 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - Fourth Intermediate Day 🕯️ 17:20</p>	<p>29 21 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - Day 7 🕯️ First Day Yom Tov Ends: 18:29</p>	<p>30 22 nisan</p> <p>✧ Passover - Day 8 🕯️ Yom Tov Ends: 18:29</p>				

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

may 2024 23 nisan 5784 - 23 IYAR 5784

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז	
			1 Workers' Day	23 nisan	2 24 nisan	3 25 nisan 17:16	4 26 nisan Acharei Mot Shabbat Ends: 18:26
5 27 nisan	6 28 nisan	7 29 nisan	8 30 nisan Rosh Chodesh Iyar - Day 1	9 1 IYAR Rosh Chodesh Iyar - Day 2 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 17:32 Moonset: 18:30	10 2 IYAR 17:12	11 3 IYAR Kedoshim Shabbat Ends: 18:21	
12 4 IYAR	13 5 IYAR Yom HaAtzma'ut	14 6 IYAR	15 7 IYAR	16 8 IYAR	17 9 IYAR 17:08	18 10 IYAR Emor Shabbat Ends: 18:18	
19 11 IYAR Shavu'ot	20 12 IYAR	21 13 IYAR	22 14 IYAR Pesach Sheini	23 15 IYAR	24 16 IYAR 17:05	25 17 IYAR Behar Shabbat Ends: 18:15	
26 18 IYAR Lag BaOmer	27 19 IYAR	28 20 IYAR	29 21 IYAR	30 22 IYAR	31 23 IYAR 17:04		

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

JUNE 2024 24 IYAR 5784 - 24 SIVAN 5784

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
						1 24 IYAR 📖 Bechukosai 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:14
2 25 IYAR	3 26 IYAR	4 27 IYAR	5 28 IYAR ⬠ Yom Yerushalayim	6 29 IYAR	7 1 SIVAN ⬠ Rosh Chodesh Sivan 🕯️ 17:03	8 2 SIVAN 📖 Bemidbar 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:13 🌕 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 17:23 Moonset: 19:09
9 3 SIVAN	10 4 SIVAN	11 5 SIVAN 🕯️ 17:03	12 6 SIVAN ⬠ Shavuot - Day 1 🕯️ First Day Yom Tov Ends: 18:13	13 7 SIVAN ⬠ Shavuot - Day 2 🕯️ Yom Tov Ends: 18:13	14 8 SIVAN 🕯️ 17:03	15 9 SIVAN 📖 Naso 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:14
16 10 SIVAN 🟡 Youth Day	17 11 SIVAN 🟡 Public Holiday Youth Day Observed	18 12 SIVAN	19 13 SIVAN	20 14 SIVAN	21 15 SIVAN 🕯️ 17:05	22 16 SIVAN 📖 Beha'alotecha 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:15
23 17 SIVAN	24 18 SIVAN	25 19 SIVAN	26 20 SIVAN	27 21 SIVAN	28 22 SIVAN 🕯️ 17:07	29 23 SIVAN 📖 Shelach 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:17
30 24 SIVAN						

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July 2024 25 sivan 5784 - 25 tammuz 5784

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
	1 25 sivan	2 26 sivan	3 27 sivan	4 28 sivan	5 29 sivan 🕯️ 17:09	6 30 sivan ⬠ Rosh Chodesh Tammuz - Day 1 📖 Korach 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:20
7 1 tammuz ⬠ Rosh Chodesh Tammuz - Day 2 🌾 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 17:30 Moonset: 18:57	8 2 tammuz	9 3 tammuz	10 4 tammuz	11 5 tammuz	12 6 tammuz 🕯️ 17:12	13 7 tammuz 📖 Chukat 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:23
14 8 tammuz	15 9 tammuz	16 10 tammuz	17 11 tammuz	18 12 tammuz	19 13 tammuz 🕯️ 17:15	20 14 tammuz 📖 Balak 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:26
21 15 tammuz	22 16 tammuz	23 17 tammuz ⬠ Fast of the Seventeenth of Tammuz	24 18 tammuz	25 19 tammuz	26 20 tammuz 🕯️ 17:19	27 21 tammuz 📖 Pinchas 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:29
28 22 tammuz	29 23 tammuz	30 24 tammuz	31 25 tammuz			

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

august 2024 26 tammuz 5784 - 27 av 5784

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז	ח
				1	26 tammuz	2	27 tammuz
							3
						🕯️ 17:22	📖 Matot - Masei 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:33
4	29 tammuz	5	1 av	6	2 av	7	3 av
		🕯️ Rosh Chodesh Av 🌾 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 17:44 Moonset: 18:42					8
							9
						🕯️ 17:26 🇺🇸 National Women's Day	10
							📖 Devarim 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:36
11	7 av	12	8 av	13	9 av	14	10 av
				🕯️ Tisha B'Av			15
							16
						🕯️ 17:29	17
							📖 Va'etchanan 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:39
18	14 av	19	15 av	20	16 av	21	17 av
		🕯️ Tu B'Av					22
							23
						🕯️ 17:32	24
							📖 Ekev 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:42
25	21 av	26	22 av	27	23 av	28	24 av
							29
							30
						🕯️ 17:35	31
							📖 Re'eh 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:45

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september 2024 28 av 5784 - 27 elul 5784

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🕯️ Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
1 28 av	2 29 av	3 30 av ✧ Rosh Chodesh Elul - Day 1	4 1 elul ✧ Rosh Chodesh Elul - Day 2 🌙 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 17:57 Moonset: 19:12	5 2 elul 🌙 Yom Teru'ah First day of the seventh month	6 3 elul 🕯️ 17:37	7 4 elul 🕯️ Shoftim 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:46
8 5 elul	9 6 elul	10 7 elul	11 8 elul	12 9 elul	13 10 elul 🕯️ 17:28 🌙 Yom ha Kippurim Starts at sunset	14 11 elul 🕯️ Ki Tetze 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:37 🌙 Yom ha Kippurim Ends at sunset
15 12 elul	16 13 elul	17 14 elul	18 15 elul	19 16 elul 🌙 Sukkot 15th day of the seventh month	20 17 elul 🕯️ 17:19	21 18 elul 🕯️ Ki Tavo 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:26
22 19 elul	23 20 elul	24 21 elul 🟡 Heritage Day	25 22 elul	26 23 elul 🌙 Shemini Atzereth (Eighth [day of] Assembly)	27 24 elul 🕯️ 17:08	28 25 elul 🕯️ Nitzavim - Vayelech 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 18:17
29 26 elul ✧ Selichot Begin	30 27 elul					

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📖 Shabbat Torah Reading (see last page for details)

OCTOBER 2024 28 elul 5784 - 29 tishre 5785

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
		1 28 elul	2 29 elul ⚡ Erev Rosh Hashanah 🕯 17:49	3 1 tishre ⚡ Rosh Hashanah - Day 1 🕯 First Day Yom Tov Ends: 19:00	4 2 tishre ⚡ Rosh Hashanah - Day 2 🕯 17:50 🌙 Rosh Chodesh 🌇 Sunset: 18:09 Moonset: 19:42	5 3 tishre 📖 Ha'azinu 🕯 Shabbat Ends: 19:01
6 4 tishre ⚡ Fast of Gedalyah	7 5 tishre	8 6 tishre	9 7 tishre	10 8 tishre	11 9 tishre ⚡ Erev Yom Kippur 🕯 17:53	12 10 tishre ⚡ Yom Kippur 🕯 Shabbat Ends: 19:04
13 11 tishre	14 12 tishre	15 13 tishre	16 14 tishre 🕯 17:56	17 15 tishre ⚡ Succot - Day 1 🕯 First Day Yom Tov Ends: 19:07	18 16 tishre ⚡ Succot - Day 2 🕯 17:57	19 17 tishre ⚡ Succot - First Intermediate Day 🕯 Shabbat Ends: 19:08
20 18 tishre ⚡ Succot - Second Intermediate Day	21 19 tishre ⚡ Succot - Third Intermediate Day	22 20 tishre ⚡ Succot - Fourth Intermediate Day	23 21 tishre ⚡ Succot - Fifth Intermediate Day ⚡ Hoshanah Rabbah 🕯 18:00	24 22 tishre ⚡ Shemini Atzeret 🕯 First Day Yom Tov Ends: 19:10	25 23 tishre ⚡ Simchat Torah 🕯 18:01	26 24 tishre 📖 Bereshit 🕯 Shabbat Ends: 19:11
27 25 tishre	28 26 tishre	29 27 tishre	30 28 tishre	31 29 tishre		

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NOVEMBER 2024 30 tishre 5785 - 29 cheshvan 5785

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז	ח	ט
							1 30 tishre ⬠ Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan - Day 1 🕯️ 18:05	2 1 cheshvan ⬠ Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan - Day 2 🕯️ Noach 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:16 🌙 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 18:26 Moonset: 19:27
3 2 cheshvan	4 3 cheshvan	5 4 cheshvan	6 5 cheshvan	7 6 cheshvan	8 7 cheshvan 🕯️ 18:10	9 8 cheshvan 🕯️ Lech Lecha 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:21		
10 9 cheshvan	11 10 cheshvan	12 11 cheshvan	13 12 cheshvan	14 13 cheshvan	15 14 cheshvan 🕯️ 18:15	16 15 cheshvan 🕯️ Vayera 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:26		
17 16 cheshvan	18 17 cheshvan	19 18 cheshvan	20 19 cheshvan	21 20 cheshvan	22 21 cheshvan 🕯️ 18:21	23 22 cheshvan 🕯️ Chaye Sarah 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:31		
24 23 cheshvan	25 24 cheshvan	26 25 cheshvan	27 26 cheshvan	28 27 cheshvan	29 28 cheshvan 🕯️ 18:26	30 29 cheshvan 🕯️ Toldot 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:37		

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DECEMBER 2024 30 cheshvan 5785 - 30 kislev 5785

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
1 30 cheshvan ✧ Rosh Chodesh Kislev - Day 1	2 1 kislev ✧ Rosh Chodesh Kislev - Day 2 🌙 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 18:48 Moonset: 20:14	3 2 kislev	4 3 kislev	5 4 kislev	6 5 kislev 🕯️ 18:31	7 6 kislev 🕯️ Vayetze 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:42
8 7 kislev	9 8 kislev	10 9 kislev	11 10 kislev	12 11 kislev	13 12 kislev 🕯️ 18:36	14 13 kislev 🕯️ Vayishlach 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:46
15 14 kislev	16 15 kislev 🟡 Day of Reconciliation	17 16 kislev	18 17 kislev	19 18 kislev	20 19 kislev 🕯️ 18:40	21 20 kislev 🕯️ Vayeshev 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:50
22 21 kislev	23 22 kislev	24 23 kislev	25 24 kislev 🟡 Christmas Day	26 25 kislev ✧ Chanukah - Day 1 🟡 Day of Goodwill	27 26 kislev ✧ Chanukah - Day 2 🕯️ 18:43	28 27 kislev ✧ Chanukah - Day 3 🕯️ Miketz 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:53
29 28 kislev ✧ Chanukah - Day 4	30 29 kislev ✧ Chanukah - Day 5	31 30 kislev ✧ Chanukah - Day 6 ✧ Rosh Chodesh Tevet - Day 1				

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January 2025 1 tevet 5785 - 2 shevat 5785

א	ב	ג	ד	ה	ו	ז
			1 1 tevet ✧ Chanukah - Day 7 ✧ Rosh Chodesh Tevet - Day 2 🗓️ New Year's Day 🌙 Rosh Chodesh Sunset: 19:04 Moonset: 20:42	2 2 tevet ✧ Chanukah - Day 8	3 3 tevet 🕯️ 18:45	4 4 tevet 📖 Vayigash 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:55
5 5 tevet	6 6 tevet	7 7 tevet	8 8 tevet	9 9 tevet	10 10 tevet ✧ Fast of the Tenth of Tevet 🕯️ 18:45	11 11 tevet 📖 Veyechi 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:56
12 12 tevet	13 13 tevet	14 14 tevet	15 15 tevet	16 16 tevet	17 17 tevet 🕯️ 18:45	18 18 tevet 📖 Shemot 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:55
19 19 tevet	20 20 tevet	21 21 tevet	22 22 tevet	23 23 tevet	24 24 tevet 🕯️ 18:43	25 25 tevet 📖 Va'era 🕯️ Shabbat Ends: 19:53
26 26 tevet	27 27 tevet	28 28 tevet	29 29 tevet	30 1 shevat ✧ Rosh Chodesh Shevat	31 2 shevat 🕯️ 18:41	

The numbering of Jewish months and days on this calendar is according to the traditional Rabbinic Jewish calculations.

Torah based calculations for Rosh Chodesh (New Moons) and Moedim (Appointed times / "festivals") are superimposed where applicable and marked 🌙

Yisra'el's National Anthem Ha Tikva (The Hope)

Transliteration

התקרה

Kol od balevav p'nimah	כל עוד בלבב פנימה
Nefesh Yehudi homiyah	נפש יהודי הומיה
Ulfa'atey mizrach kadimah	ולפאתי מזרח קדימה
Ayin l'tzion tzofiyah	עין לציון צופיה
Od lo avdah tikvatenu	עוד לא אבדה תקותנו
Hatikvah bat shnot alpayim	התקוה בת שנות אלפים
L'hiyot am chofshi b'artzenu	להיות עם חופשי בארצנו
Eretz Tzion v'Yerushalayim	ארץ ציון וירושלים

English Lyrics

As long as deep in the heart,
The soul of a Jew yearns,
And forward to the East
To Zion, an eye looks
Our hope will not be lost,
The hope of two thousand years,
To be a free nation in our land,
The land of Zion and Jerusalem.

Torah Portions

The Torah (the first 5 books of Scripture), commonly known as the Law (but more correctly Teaching), is divided into portions, so that the whole Torah is read in 1 year. Each portion is named after a key word (or words) in the opening paragraph of the portion. The custom of reading the Torah on every Shabbat was already practiced in the days of Yahushua our Messiah - Please see the next page.

New Moons

On this calendar the New Moons are expressed in the Hebrew form "Rosh Chodesh", literally meaning "Head/Beginning New/Renewed", denoting the first sighting of the moon after

conjunction. The day after the first sighting of the moon is the first day of a new month.

The New Moon days in this calendar are calculated as close as possible for Johannesburg. It is recommended that you look out for the New Moon in your area.

The New Moon (beginning of the new month) determines the dates of the festivals of the first month (Aviv) and the seventh month (Tishrei). It is very important to confirm the date of the New Moon of Aviv and Tishrei, for these will influence all the dates of the Set Apart appointments legislated in Wayyiqra (Leviticus) 23.

The Scriptural year begins with the first New Moon after the barley in Yisra'el reaches the stage in its ripeness called "aviv".

Appointed Times

The legislated appointments of Wayyiqra (Lev.) 23 are all calculated from the New Moons. The "Jewish" festival dates do not always correspond with the New Moon calculated dates. In all cases the "Jewish" festivals can be recognised by the candle lighting times indicated on the calendar.

- Pesach – Passover
- Festival of Matzot – Festival of Unleavened Bread
- Shavu'ot – Festival of Weeks (Pentecost)
- Yom Teru'ah – Day of Soundings (Trumpets)
- Yom haKippurim – Day of Atonement
- Festival of Sukkot – Festival of Tabernacles (Booths)
- Shemini Atzereth – Eighth (Day of) Assembly

Other Dates

Several other feasts are indicated in this calendar, such as the feasts of Purim and Chanukah. Although these feasts are found in Scripture, they are not legislated in the Torah. We do however recommend that these festivals be observed in the interest of Scriptural awareness.

Other days of interest or "Jewish" holidays are also indicated, such as Tu'B'Shvat, Fast of Esther, Yom haAtzma'ut, Tisha B'Av, etc.

We have also indicated other dates of interest regarding the Land of Yisra'el, as well as the regular South African public holidays.

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School Terms - 2024

Term	Free State, Gauteng, Limpopo, Eastern Cape, Kwazulu-Natal, Northern Cape, Western Cape Mpumalanga, North West
1	17 January – 20 March
2	3 April – 14 June
3	9 July – 20 September
4	1 October – 11 December

Schools reopen for all provinces on 15 Jan. 2025

[School calendar | South African Government \(www.gov.za\)](#)

Additional school holidays

17 June 2024

Disclaimer

Although all care has been taken to calculate the New Moons and Festival days as accurately as possible, we cannot take responsibility for the actual beginning of the feast days, the New Moon should be sighted by the naked eye at your location.



Barley

**Portion
Bereshith**

Noach
Lech Lecha
Vayera
Chayei Sarah
Toldot
Vayetze
Vayishlach
Vayeshev
Miketz
Vayigash
Vayechi

Meaning

In (the) beginning
Comfort
You go
And he appeared
Life of Sarah
Generatings / births
And he went out
And he sent
And he dwelt
At the end
And he came near
And he lived

Shemoth

Va'era
Bo
Beshalach
Yitro
Mishpatim
Terumah
Tetzave
Ki Tisa
Vayakhel
Pekudei

Names

And I appeared
Come in
When he sent
His Excellency
Right-rulings
Contribution
You shall command
When you lift up
And he assembles
Accounts

Wayyiqra

Tzav
Shemini
Tazria
Metzora
Acharei Mot
Kedoshim
Emor
Behar Sinai
Bechukotai

And he called

Command
Eighth
She is with seed
The one with tzara'at (leper?)
After the death
Set apart ones
He said
In mount Sinai
In My laws

Bemidbar

Naso
Beha'alotcha
Shelach Lecha
Korach
Chukat
Balak
Pinechas
Matot
Massei

In (the) wilderness

Lift up
In your ascent
You send
Bald
Laws
Devastator
Mouth of brass
Tribes
Journeys of

Devarim

Va'etchanani
Ekev
Re'eh
Shoftim
Ki-Tetze
Ki-Tavo
Nitzavim
Vayelech
Ha'azinu
Wozot haBerachah

Words

And I sought favour
Because
Look
Right rulers
When you go out
When you come in
You are standing
And he went
Give ear
And this is the blessing

Torah

Ber. 1:1-6:8
Ber. 6:9-11:32
Ber. 12:1-17:27
Ber. 18:1-22:24
Ber. 23:1-25:18
Ber. 25:19-28:9
Ber. 28:10-32:2
Ber. 32:3-36:43
Ber. 37:1-40:23
Ber. 41:1-44:17
Ber. 44:18-47:27
Ber. 47:28-50:26

Shem. 1:1-6:1

Shem. 6:2-9:35
Shem. 10:1-13:16
Shem. 13:17-17:16
Shem. 18:1-20:26
Shem. 21:1-24:18
Shem. 25:1-27:19
Shem. 27:20-30:10
Shem. 30:11-34:35
Shem. 35:1-38:20
Shem. 38:21-40:38

Way. 1:1-6:7

Way. 6:8-8:36
Way. 9:1-11:47
Way. 12:1-13:59
Way. 14:1-15:33
Way. 16:1-18:30
Way. 19:1-20:27
Way. 21:1-24:23
Way. 25:1-26:2
Way. 26:3-27:34

Bem. 1:1-4:20

Bem. 4:21-7:89
Bem. 8:1-12:16
Bem. 13:1-15:41
Bem. 16:1-18:32
Bem. 19:1-22:1
Bem. 22:2-25:9
Bem. 25:10-29:42
Bem. 30:1-32:42
Bem. 33:1-36:13

Dev. 1:1-3:22

Dev. 3:23-7:11
Dev. 7:12-11:25
Dev. 11:26-16:17
Dev. 16:18-21:9
Dev. 21:10-25:19
Dev. 26:1-29:9
Dev. 29:10-30:20
Dev. 31:1-31:30
Dev. 32:1-32:52
Dev. 33:1-34:12

Haftarah

Yesh. 42:5-43:10
Yesh. 54:1-55:5
Yesh. 40:27-41:16
2 Mel. 4:1-37
1 Mel. 1:1-31
Mal. 1:1-2:7
Hosh. 12:12-14:9
Hosh. 11:7-12:11
Amos 2:6-3:8
1 Mel. 3:15-4:1
Yechez. 37:15-28
1 Mel. 2:1-12

Yesh. 27:6-28:13; 29:22-25

Yechez. 28:25-29:21
Yirm. 46:13-28
Shoph. 4:4-5:31
Yesh. 6:1-7:6; 9:6-7
Yirm. 34:8-22; 33:25-26
1 Mel. 5:12-6:13
Yechez. 43:10-43:27
1 Mel. 18:1-39
1 Mel. 7:40-50
1 Mel. 7:51-8:21

Yesh. 43:21-44:23

Yirm. 7:21-8:3; 9:23-24
2 Shem. 6:1-7:17
2 Mel. B 4:42-5:19
2 Mel. 7:3-20
Yechez. 22:1-19
Amos 9:7-15
Yechez. 44:15-31
Yirm. 32:6-27
Yirm. 16:19-17:14

Hosh. 1:10-2:20

Shoph. 13:2-25
Zech. 2:14-4:7
Yeh. 2:1-24
1 Shem. 11:14-12:22
Shoph. 11:1-33
Micah 5:7-6:8
1 Mel. 18:46-19:21
Yirm. 1:1-2:3
Yirm. 2:4-28; 3:4

Yesh. 1:1-27

Yesh. 40:1-26
Yesh. 49:14-51:3
Yesh. 54:11-55:5
Yesh. 51:12-52:12
Yesh. 54:1-10
Yesh. 60:1-22
Yesh. 61:10-63:9
Hosh. 14:1-9; Micah 7:18-20; Yo'el 2:15-27
2 Shem. 22:1-51
Yeh. 1:1-18



Barley Harvest



Willows of the Stream



Grapes